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To: <u>Weiler, Katherine</u>

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Katherine this is our draft – let me know if OW has any issues.

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From: Dunbar, Bill

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"We are, of course, concerned about the potential impact on Puget Sound and on the potential to add contamination to the Superfund site, and we have expressed those concerns to the Navy. We have only recently been made aware of the Navy's plans, and are currently working with them to more fully understand them."

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